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## OUR GREAT ANNUAL SLAUGHTER SALE

Beginning Saturday, Dec. 14, and Continuing the Balance of the Year

We find that we have too many goods on hand and will make our annual slaughter sale two weeks earlier than usual. From next Saturday on to Jan. 1st we will sell for cash (checks are cash) or produce at the following prices:

### Underwear; Outings

Now is the time to buy underwear; our stock is large; our loss your gain  
\$1 garments for ..... 75c  
75c garments for ..... 50c  
50c garments for ..... 38c  
10 pr ct cut in all outings. Hope muslin 100, L & L muslin 8c.

### Groceries

French red kidney beans, 4 lbs for 25c  
15c can tomatoes ..... 10c straight  
18 lbs granulated sugar ..... \$1.00  
1 gallon can Arkansas apples ..... 35c  
Lenox, Flake-White and Swift's  
Pride, 7 bars for 25c  
10 per cent cut on all dishes.

### Shoes, Etc.

Men's Pingree \$4 shoes ..... \$1.20  
Men's Pingree 3.50 shoes ..... 2.80  
Men's Pingree 3.00 shoes ..... 2.40  
Ladies' Pingree 3.50 shoes ..... 3.15  
Ladies' Pingree 3.00 shoes ..... 2.70  
Ladies' Pingree 2.50 shoes ..... 2.25

Western Heavy Shoes, 10 pr ct disc.  
15 pr ct cut on all men's pants.  
20 pr ct cut on blankets and comforts.

### Tobacco

Star, Horseshoe, Old Kentucky, 40c lb.  
Standard Navy, per lb ..... 25c  
Sledge and Sweet Orange, per lb ..... 30c

### Broadcloth; Mittens

We have a special sale on Broadcloth. You will have to see to appreciate.

Blue, black and red broadcloth, yd. .88c

We have too many \$1.25 mittens and are going to sell them at ..... 98c

### Skirts

Get in line; this will be the last chance for 1907. We will give 10% discount on all Ladies' Skirts, and our line is extra nice.

\$1 caps ..... 75c  
75c caps ..... 50c  
50c caps ..... 38c  
25c caps ..... 18c

20% cut on all duck and corduroy coats. 10 pr ct on all heating stoves. The weather has been warm and we have too many stoves left; now is your time to get a bargain. Horseblankets—10 pr ct off on all we have. Quinine at 38c per oz. during this sale.

Remember, this sale is for cash or produce. [Checks are cash.] If we have to charge on our books it will be at the regular price. Come now and stock up for the winter.

Come and see your humble servants,

## Webb Brothers Mercantile Company.

### BEAT CARTHAGE TWICE.

Basket Ball Tossers from County Seat Failed to Stop Locals.

That "Invincible" bunch who form what is admitted to be the best team that ever represented Carthage high school at the noble game of basket ball met an unexpected defeat last Friday evening at the hands of the Jasper team, the right of the supremacy of the latter being sold to the tune of 27 to 19.

It was a fierce game, and the failure of one or two Jasper boys to perform up to the usual standard kept them fighting on until some, until the last five minutes of play, when they came from behind with a rush and scored goal after goal with a rapidity that must have made their opponents dizzy. "Shut out," asserted who hadn't been able to hit the ball out of the court after evening, suddenly returned to form and he and O. Kyle (who had been near till the scorekeeper had to ask for more paper.

The loss of the game was a hard blow to the Carthage team, who were looking forward with confidence to the southwest championship. The game here was intended chiefly for practice to get into shape to beat the cracks at Webb and Joplin. Said cracks will also get theirs when they come to Jasper in

their turn to practice up for Carthage. They may fight among themselves for second place, but Jasper will take first, unless the team has a reversal in form.

This is what almost happened Friday night, when Crawford's usually true field throws were conspicuous by their absence until the final rally. Neither could Jasper profit by the free throw, which added quite handsomely to the score of the visitors. The lengthy Joe Probert and the likewise elongated Kyle were the stars of the game for Jasper, while Cochran shone brightly for the Carthage team.

The Carthage boys didn't take their medicine in a very sportsmanlike manner and made various and sundry puerile excuses to their home papers for their failure to bring home Jasper's scalp. The court was too small, the baskets too high, the ceiling too low, the ball too small. As a matter of fact the Jasper boys do all their practicing on the regulation sized court at the high school grounds, which has no ceiling except the broad, blue firmament, and were therefore at the same disadvantage as their opponents. If the ball was too small the manufacturers are to blame, and it was the visitors' ball not Jasper's. The plain facts are that the defeat stuck sorely in the craw of the visitors, whose fine record at football had led them to expect a walkover in all similar sports and the Carthage lads

are exceedingly cheap pikers if they do not admit that they were fairly beaten. One or two of their players, notably the bullet headed Mr. Cochran, were exceedingly full of football tactics Friday night. It's too bad this sort of thing could not win, but it can't be changed now. Such hard luck!

The attendance was fair, but not what it should have been, considering the quality of ball played.

The teams lined up as follows:

C H S	J H S
Moran	O. Kyle
Cochran	Crawford
Crain	Wagner
Confer	Probert
Jay	R. Kyle

The visitors, although unable to win from the first team, captured a consolation prize in the victory of their second team over the corresponding Jasper bunch, by a score of 16 to 9.

### JASPER WINS AGAIN

Last night the Jasper team took a fall out of Carthage on the latter's own court by a score of 18 to 16. After virtually smothering their opponents in the first half, at the close of which the score was 13 to 3, the Jasper boys became careless and almost allowed Carthage to tie the score, but woke up in time to hold their lead. Kyle was again the star for Jasper and apparently found the Carthage court not a bit

too small, the ceiling just high enough, the basket just right, and the ball exactly the right size to sail nicely over the heads of the Carthage guards. A disputed decision delayed the game nearly half an hour in the second half. The second team again lost by the close score of 9 to 8.

### Judge E. O. Brown Dead.

Judge E. O. Brown died very suddenly last Sunday night at his home in Carthage, his death resulting from paralysis of the throat, following a long siege of bronchitis. Judge Brown had not been in the best health for two years past, but was able to attend to the duties of his office until last Thursday. He was 60 years old and had lived in Carthage since 1873. He was a lawyer of statewide reputation and was well known in federal courts. The general feeling at Carthage is that the death of Judge Brown loses the city, if not the county its oldest jurist and one of its most useful and progressive citizens. Funeral and burial services were held Tuesday.

T. H. Tiller is preparing to erect a residence on the 30 acres he recently bought, through Larriek & Spaid, from Fred Follmer, just west of the city limits, and will move his family into their new home as soon as possible. Mr. Tiller paid \$2125 or \$70 per acre for the Follmer tract.

### Miss Covert Wins Gold Medal.

The gold medal contest at Boston last night resulted in the awarding of the trophy to Miss Stella Covert of Zion neighborhood. Five young ladies competed for the medal, namely: Stella and Zelda Covert, Mary Curtis, Pearl Johnson and Flossie Turner. The contest is said to have been one of unusual merit, as might easily be inferred from a glance at the list of contestants, all of whom have pleased Jasper audiences on at least one occasion. A large crowd attended the contest.

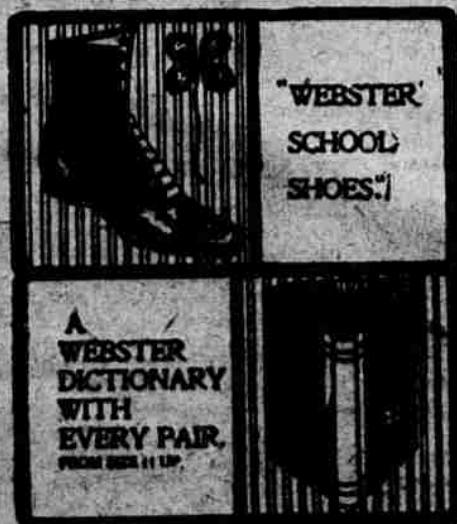
### CANT WAIT LONGER

You must call at the first National Bank and pay your city tax. Only a few days till they will be delinquent and if not paid before I shall slap on both penalty and interest by order City Council.

THOS. SEAL.

City Col.

Look, Look—Some good Bargains in new and second hand beaters to close them out. BAYNE & SON, 11 28!



Agents "New Idea"  
10c. Patterns.

## Are You Prepared?

Jack Frost has been giving us repeated warning of his coming descent upon us, and we have done our best to notify you that we are prepared to fortify you against his coming; so come now and "fit out," before another cold spell makes you regret that you didn't hearken to us sooner.

### What Do You Need for Winter?—It's Here for You

Is it anything in the way of Rubber Goods? We have the Woonsocket, Candee and "Ball Brand" rubber goods. There is no better made. What about the children's shoes, or your own? We have the Webster School Shoe for the children; the "Star" or "Sir Knight" for you. Our line of high top Shoes, Rubber Goods, Blankets and Underwear is the most complete ever shown in Jasper.

Bring your Produce and Poultry to Us.

## CHANDLER and SON

'STAR BRAND SHOES ARE BETTER.'